



Early Journal Content on JSTOR, Free to Anyone in the World

This article is one of nearly 500,000 scholarly works digitized and made freely available to everyone in the world by JSTOR.

Known as the Early Journal Content, this set of works include research articles, news, letters, and other writings published in more than 200 of the oldest leading academic journals. The works date from the mid-seventeenth to the early twentieth centuries.

We encourage people to read and share the Early Journal Content openly and to tell others that this resource exists. People may post this content online or redistribute in any way for non-commercial purposes.

Read more about Early Journal Content at <http://about.jstor.org/participate-jstor/individuals/early-journal-content>.

JSTOR is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary source objects. JSTOR helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content through a powerful research and teaching platform, and preserves this content for future generations. JSTOR is part of ITHAKA, a not-for-profit organization that also includes Ithaka S+R and Portico. For more information about JSTOR, please contact support@jstor.org.

OFFICIAL REPORTS



[All communications for this department must be sent to the office of the Editor-in-Chief at Rochester, N. Y.]

THE ASSOCIATED ALUMNÆ MEETING

At the request of the nurses of Detroit, Michigan, the date of holding the Ninth Annual Convention of the Nurses' Associated Alumnæ has been postponed from Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May 1, 2, and 3, 1906, to Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, June 5, 6, and 7, 1906.

NELLIE M. CASEY, Secretary,
814 South Tenth Street, Philadelphia.

ASSOCIATED ALUMNÆ TRANSPORTATION RATES

MEMBERS planning to attend the convention in Detroit, in May, are notified that arrangements are being made for a reduction in transportation, full particulars of which, with the address of the chairman, will be published in the April JOURNAL. Members are asked to bear in mind the necessity for sending in names as soon after April 1, as possible.

MARY E. THORNTON,
Chairman, Committee on Transportation.

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

THE Twelfth Annual Convention of the Society of Superintendents of training Schools for Nurses will be held in New York during the last week in April, beginning on Wednesday the 25th and lasting until the 28th. The meetings will, it is hoped, be held at the Academy of Medicine, a place familiar to all of us as the building in which three at least of our previous Conventions have been held, the last in May, 1900. Since then the Society has met in Buffalo, Detroit, Pittsburg and Washington. A programme has been arranged by the council for the coming meeting, which it is believed will be not only exceedingly interesting, but of much practical usefulness. Following the excellent paper presented by Miss Samuel last year dealing with the subject of "Economy in Hospital Work and Administration" from a general standpoint has come the suggestion that a careful study shall be made of the administration of each department of hospital work in relation to the cost of service and maintenance,—the purchase and use of supplies. The following departments or branches have been chosen as subjects for papers this year:

"The Furnishings and Equipment of Wards—Free, Private and Isolation, and of Nurses' Homes;," "The Economical Purchase and Use of Drugs;," "Eco-

onomy in the Equipment and Management of Laundries;" "In the Equipment and Management of Operating Rooms; and "In Buying and Using Surgical Supplies."

Papers on these subjects are promised by Miss Lucy Walker, Pennsylvania Hospital, Miss G. M. Nevins, Garfield Hospital, Miss Lena Lightbourne, Trustee-in-charge of the Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, Miss Shaw, Presbyterian Hospital, and a good many others. Miss Boardman is coming from Washington to tell us of the "New Organization of the Red Cross," and Miss Dock will contribute a paper on some interesting phases of our work.

There are one or two other subjects touching closely upon nursing work on which it is hoped we will have papers, and it is probable that a "Demonstration" of some practical methods of nursing will be given in some one of the New York Hospitals. Altogether the arrangements for the Convention to date promise that the meeting will be unusually instructive and interesting. Miss Maxwell, Superintendent of Nurses of the Presbyterian Hospital Training School, is chairman of the Committee on Arrangements, and it is probable that all details will be completed in time for a further announcement in the next number of the JOURNAL. It is hoped there will be a full attendance of members.

M. A. NUTTING, Secretary.

STATE MEETINGS

MICHIGAN.—The second annual meeting of the State Nurses' Association will be held in Ann Arbor, April 4, 5, 6, 1906. An interesting programme has been arranged. The Executive Board have been fortunate in securing Miss Sophia F. Palmer for an address on State Registration.

MISS CATHERINE M. GIFFORD, Corresponding Secretary.
Grand Rapids, Michigan.

CONNECTICUT.—The meeting of the Connecticut Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses that was scheduled for January 18 was postponed to February 8, when the board met at the office of the secretary, 1423 Chapel Street, New Haven, Connecticut. One hundred and eleven applicants were registered by the board, giving a total of one hundred and sixty-six registered nurses in the state of Connecticut. The work is progressing and the nurses are responding very enthusiastically. The board has held but two meetings for the work of registration since the passage of the Act that went into force July 1, 1905, and in the future will meet the first Wednesday in June and January of each year.

R. I. ALBAUGH, Secretary.

MARYLAND.—The Maryland State Association of Graduate Nurses held its third annual meeting on January 30 and 31, 1906, in Heptasophs Hall, Baltimore.

The first session was called to order on Tuesday, January 30, at 3 P.M., the president, Miss M. Adelaide Nutting, in the chair.

The invocation by Rev. Edwin B. Niver, rector of Christ Protestant Episco-

pal Church, was followed by an address of welcome by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary of the Maryland State Board of Health.

Following this Miss Nutting gave her annual address. Attention was called to the prosperous condition of the society and as an evidence that the interest had deepened and widened among the nurses stated that nearly one hundred new members had been received and welcomed during the year. The president especially commented on the great field still uncovered, and in closing her remarks said: "Our power and influence as a society depends upon our recognition of the fact that we are formed really to promote the welfare of others and it should be our constant earnest effort to find where we are most needed and with united purpose and perfect sympathy bend ourselves to our task."

The reading of papers followed and the subject of "State Societies: Their Work and Opportunities" was presented by Miss Ada M. Carr, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Mrs. Kinney gave a short instructive address endeavoring to explain some of the misunderstandings in regard to army nursing.

Miss L. L. Dock, Honorable Secretary of the International Council of Nurses, gave a most interesting talk on "Efforts Towards Registration for Nurses in European Countries."

Miss Sara E. Parsons, superintendent of nurses of the Sheppard and Pratt Asylum, Baltimore, read a very instructive paper on "Newer Methods of Nursing the Insane."

A paper by Miss Reiba Thelin, school nurse, Baltimore, gave a most encouraging report of the year's work of the nurse in Baltimore public schools.

The morning meeting on the second day was the business session.

Reports of the executive committee and of the various other committees showed that the society in every way was in a prosperous condition. The society numbers three hundred and eleven members.

The secretary of the Maryland State Board of Examiners of Nurses reported having received about two hundred and fifty applications for state registration. There are now in Baltimore thirty hospitals and sanatoriums, fourteen of which have training-schools. These schools are making every effort to bring their work up to the standard.

The work and needs of the Maryland State Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis was freely discussed and it was unanimously voted to affiliate with the society. It was also voted to undertake as a society, the support partially or entirely of a visiting nurse for tuberculosis.

The nurses were enthusiastically in favor of this undertaking and about one-third of the sum needed was pledged toward her support at this meeting. A committee was appointed to look after this work and it is confidently expected that eventually the full amount will be raised.

The subject of a central directory caused animated discussion and a committee was appointed to make a study of this subject and report at the next meeting.

A delegate was appointed to attend the meeting of the Associated Alumnae to be held in Detroit in May.

The meeting adjourned to partake of luncheon which was served to the members of the society in the banquet hall, by the nurses of the Alumnae Asso-

ciation of the University of Maryland Hospital, and our thanks are due these nurses for the generous hospitality so graciously extended.

The closing session was called to order at 3 o'clock.

An interesting paper was read by Miss Mabel T. Boardman, a member of the executive committee of the American National Red Cross, on the late Red Cross work in Russia and Japan.

A most excellent paper on "The Problem of Caring for Contagious Diseases in Baltimore" was presented by Miss Grace O'Bryan, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital Alumnae Association. Miss O'Bryan emphasized the great need of a hospital for contagious diseases in Baltimore, and described the difficulties which confronted a nurse in any attempt to attend a contagious case, saying that not only was there no provision made for the patient but the nurse could not be sure of attention if she contracted the disease in the discharge of her duties. The subject was such a timely one that the society voted to have copies of this paper printed and widely distributed.

Mrs. von Wagner told of her work as tenement-house inspector in her usual interesting manner.

The next subject considered was "Child Labor," and addresses on this subject were made by Frederick T. Dorton, Esq., and Dr. Charles H. Bunting.

At the conclusion of these addresses the association adopted a resolution endorsing the proposed bill governing child labor, which Mr. Dorton has recently introduced in the Maryland Legislature.

The following are the officers for the coming year:

Honorary President, Miss M. Adelaide Nutting, Johns Hopkins Hospital; president, Miss Mary C. Packard, Massachusetts General Hospital; first vice-president, Miss Georgina C. Ross, Johns Hopkins Hospital; second vice-president, Miss Mary J. Putts, Maryland Homeopathic Hospital; Secretary, Miss Sarah F. Martin, Massachusetts General Hospital; Treasurer, Miss Amy B. Miller, Johns Hopkins Hospital; Members, Miss N. P. Flanagan and Miss M. S. Brown, of the University of Maryland Hospital; Miss M. B. Dixon and Miss M. E. Lent, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Miss Nutting was made Honorary President of the Association in recognition of her valuable services rendered the association since its organization.

SARAH F. MARTIN, Secretary.

REGULAR MEETINGS

CLEVELAND, OHIO.—At the annual meeting of St. Mary's Alumnae Association held on January 11, Miss Burke was appointed president, Miss Freeman, first vice-president, Miss Moilan, treasurer, Miss Regan, recording secretary, and Miss Martin, corresponding secretary.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—The Woman's Hospital Alumnae held a meeting January 10, when the report was made that \$2,225 had been raised for the endowed bed. The year has been exceptionally prosperous, there being more than \$195 in the treasury. The society will take \$100 worth of shares in the proposed club-house of Philadelphia nurses. Miss Nettie Guthrie was elected president,

Miss Elizabeth Donachy, recording secretary. The alumnae association of the Women's, Jefferson, and Polyclinic Hospitals have engaged Miss Francis Keye, attorney at law, to deliver a course of six lectures on parliamentary rules, the meetings to be held at 227 Arch Street. A vote of thanks was tendered Miss A. M. Peters for her efficient service as president of the alumnae for the past five years.

NEW YORK.—The regular annual meeting of the Alumnae Association of the New York City Training School for Nurses was held at the Academy of Medicine, January 9.

After the usual routine business a hearty vote of thanks was given the officers, who have done everything toward making the year a progressive one.

Officers for the year 1906 were elected as follows: President, Miss Jane M. Purdell; first vice-president, Miss J. Amanda Silver; second vice-president, Miss Elizabeth Farrell; recording secretary, Miss Helen A. Morgan; corresponding secretary, Miss Martha E. Bollerman; financial secretary, Mrs. J. Nason; treasurer, Miss Martha C. Drew. Delegates were appointed to the New York County Association for the year, after which all left for the banquet hall, where the usual refreshments were served. All of the officers elected are registered nurses.

BUFFALO, N.Y.—Inclement as the weather was on the evening of January 18, it did not deter the friends of the Erie County Hospital Nurses' Alumnae from meeting at the home of Mrs. Pfeiffer, sister of Miss B. Matilda Unger, one of the members, to play progressive pedro for the purpose of increasing the funds of the association. Miss Hammecker rendered a piano solo, and Mrs. Loring gave a reading. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and the committee of the association and the company separated with the feeling that these social meetings ought to be oftener held.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—The Nurses' Alumnae of the Buffalo Homeopathic Hospital was entertained January 24, at the home of Dr. and Joseph T. Cook. The regular order of business was omitted and the program for the day consisted of a reading by Mrs. Frank Harrison and a paper by Miss Laura Pearson. The charter, which had been handsomely framed, a gift from Miss Frances Black, superintendent of the training-school, inscribed with the names of the forty-seven charter members, was presented for hanging. The entertainment was in the hands of the hostess, Mrs. Cook, who told of the need and the establishment of the hospital many years ago, and of the design of the school pin, in both of which undertakings Mrs. Cook was the leading factor. Then came violin solos by Mrs. G. R. Critchlow; piano solos by Mrs. Cook, and a recital by Mrs. Henry Meach. After refreshments all hurried back to work, feeling very grateful to Dr. and Mrs. Cook for a most delightful afternoon.

ORANGE, N. J.—A regular meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Orange Training School for Nurses, was held January 17, 1906, at the residence of Mrs. Walter Dodge, Miss Carrie Gerhart presiding in the absence of the president,

Miss M. L. Wehrly. Twenty-four members were present, also several visitors. Six new members were received, and one new name was proposed for membership. The announcement was made that the Alumnae Association would give a reception to the graduating class of the Orange Training School, January 23, at the Visiting Nurses' Settlement, 24 Valley Street, Orange. A report was read by Miss Martha Clarke, stating that \$210 had been promised during the past year, by the members, towards the salary of the anti-tuberculosis nurses, \$175.50 of which had been received. It was with regret that Miss Clarke's resignation was read and accepted, Miss Florence Cunningham being appointed in her place. At the close of the routine business a most interesting and instructive lecture was delivered by Dr. Walter Dodge on "Neurasthenia;" after which tea was served, and a pleasant social time followed.

TRoy, N. Y.—The Samaritan Hospital Alumnae gave the regular annual banquet to the graduating class on January 29, Miss Monroe presiding. A very tempting repast was served. The school colors, purple and gold, were used in the table decorations. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight. There were songs and readings during the evening.

The association has had a successful year. There is a cordial spirit of coöperation existing among the members. The society has increased in numbers. The graduating class of 1906 was admitted in a body. Provision has been made and a rate agreed upon for the care of sick nurses in the hospital.

Miss Schumacker, superintendent of the hospital, was made an honorary member. Officers were elected for the ensuing year. Miss Monroe, who has done so much for the association, was re-elected president, with Miss Gribble as vice-president; Miss Slickner to remain as treasurer, and Miss Higley, secretary.

TOLEDO, OHIO.—The Toledo Hospital Alumnae Association held its monthly meeting at the Nurses' Home, Friday, February 9, 1906. Miss Sophia Vass gave an exceptionally interesting paper on "Contagious Diseases." Toledo nurses are exhibiting considerable interest in the annual convention to be held in Detroit, Mich., in June, and expect to be well represented there.

TEWKSBURY, MASS.—The Massachusetts State Hospital Alumnae Society of Nurses held its regular meeting in the chapel of the hospital, February 1. The meeting was a very pleasant one, and was addressed by Dr. Herbert B. Howard, of the Massachusetts General Hospital. An interesting paper by Dr. C. Irving Fisher, of the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, was read by Mrs. J. R. McDonald. Two new members were elected. There was a large attendance.

PHILADELPHIA.—The regular monthly meeting of the Medico Chi. Nurses' Alumnae Association was held at the hospital, February 7, 1906, at 3 P.M. One application for membership was received, and two new members were admitted. The president, Miss Davis, tendered her resignation to take effect at once. Vice-President, Mrs. John Moyer, will fill the chair for the coming year. The meeting adjourned at 4.30 P.M. The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in March.

DENVER, COL.—The regular meeting of the Trained Nurses' Association was held on February 5. After the business meeting Dr. H. W. McLauthlin gave an interesting paper on "Practical Points in Medicine." The Visiting Nurse Association reports 530 calls made by three nurses during the month of January, the tubercular patients receiving special care and instruction. The Jewish district requires the services of one nurse daily.

PUEBLO, COL.—The State Conference of Charities held in January brought forth many interesting discussions. An able address on "Special Training for Social Workers" was delivered by Dr. Slocum, president of Colorado College, Colorado Springs. Denver has been selected for the next conference, which will be held in November, 1906.

COLORADO SPRINGS.—The usual monthly meeting of The Nurses' Registry Association was held in Caledonia Hall, February 7. Only routine business was transacted.

BOULDER, COL.—The Boulder County Nurses' Association held its monthly meeting on February 7. The time for holding all future meetings was changed to the first Tuesday of each month. Miss Clara Ham read a paper on "Pneumonia," and Dr. Lindsay answered queries regarding the use of cold in treating this disease. An unusual amount of interest was manifested by the nurses.

CINCINNATI, OHIO.—The Cincinnati Hospital Alumnae Association wishes to announce the praiseworthy change of meetings from quarterly to monthly. The program for the year reads as follows:

February 5, "Contagious Diseases,"	Dr. Lyle
March 5, "Commercial Side of Nursing,"	Miss Olive Fisher
April 2, "Bacteriology,"	Dr. Crane
May 7, An Address	Dr. Withrow
June 4, Music	
September 3, "Rural Sanitation,"	Misses Eddsteen, Vance and Lips
October 1, "Care of the Insane,"	Miss Marshal
November 5, An Address	Dr. Oliver
December 3, "On District Nursing,"	Dr. Schaar

The lecture on "Contagious Diseases" given by Dr. Lyle, February 5, was both interesting and instructive. He particularly called our attention to our unchristian habit of emptying our sewage into the river, thus contaminating the drinking water of the next town. Other cities do likewise for us, showing that the whole sanitary system is wrong. As long as cities are forced to use this impure river water for drinking purposes, we will have disease and death.

DETROIT, MICH.—The Farrand Training School Alumnae Association of Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich., elected the following named officers, at their last meeting: President, Miss Melissa Collins; first vice-president, Miss Minnie

Renton; second vice-president, Miss Anna Bettys; secretary, Miss Lula Dunkee; treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Noyes; Directors, Miss Kate Conklin, Miss Minnie Cowley, Miss Bertha Culverwell.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—The Brooklyn Hospital Alumnae held their annual meeting Tuesday, February 6, at the training-school. The yearly reports of president, secretary and treasurer were read. Little has been accomplished in the last year. It is with great regret we have to report the loss of two of our members by death. The officers were elected as follows: Miss L. M. Coleman, president; Miss M. Sturt, vice-president; Miss Houghton, recording secretary; Miss Milligan, corresponding secretary; Miss Holt, treasurer; Miss Fuller, director.

Our social meetings have been enjoyed very much, and we have always been glad to welcome Mrs. Rogers among us.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—A joint meeting of the Grand Rapids Nurses' Association and the Alumnae of the U. B. A. Hospital was held at the beautiful new Nurses' Lodge, of the U. B. A. Wednesday afternoon, February 7. Miss McIsaac, of Benton Harbor, gave an interesting talk on the "Club Work of Nurses," which was followed by a discussion. After the discussion an informal reception was given Miss McIsaac. Light refreshments were served. About sixty-five were in attendance.

PERSONAL

MISS MARIE SNELL, Toronto General, has been appointed night supervisor, Jewish Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss Alice Stewart, Toronto General, matron of the same hospital.

MISS ALICE SINCLAIR, Toronto General, has been appointed head nurse of the Burnside maternity wards, Toronto General Hospital.

MISS SADIE GLADSTONE resigned her position as head nurse Pavilion, General Hospital Toronto, to be married to Mr. Strachan, Fort William, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Strachan will reside in Fort William.

MISS ELIZABETH PURDY has been appointed head nurse Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital.

MISS BENA HENDERSON, Toronto General, 1897, has been appointed superintendent Children's Hospital Society, Chicago, Ill.

MADAME VAN WAGNER spoke in Toronto, January 12, at 8 P.M., in the Normal School, on her work in connection with the Board of Health, *i. e.*, Tenement House Visitation in Yonkers, N. Y. The following day she spoke to the pupils in training in the General Hospital. Officials and house staff were present also.

MISS DAMER addressed a large audience in the Normal School, Toronto, on February 1, on the work that is being done in New York in connection with patients suffering from tuberculosis.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., is suffering from an epidemic of Typhoid fever. The hospital there was originally built to accommodate thirty-five patients, and there are now over sixty patients being cared for. Miss Lucy Hurlburt and Miss Elizabeth Davidson, graduates Toronto General, have gone to assist in the McKellar Hospital.

MISS EDITH MCP. DICKSON, and Miss Jeanette Neilson have received appointments in the Free Sanitarium for Tuberculosis, in Weston, Ont.

MISS SNIVELY gave an "At Home" for all her nurses, pupils and graduates, on Wednesday, January 31, from 4.30 to 6 P.M., to which all graduates of the Johns Hopkins School for Nurses resident in Toronto were invited. Prof. Wm. Osler of Oxford, England, was present.

A DELIGHTFUL afternoon reception was given by Mrs. J. W. Flavelle, wife of the chairman of the Board of Trustees, Toronto General Hospital, on the afternoon of January 18, to which Miss Snively, Miss Lawler and Miss Manson, the visiting staff of the hospital, and their wives, together with the officials of all the city hospitals were invited.

WE sometimes are unable to publish items sent for this and other departments because the names are not clearly written.

MISS SOPHIA RUTLEY has severed her connection with County Hospital of San Francisco. Miss Rutley, like a number of other good women, was unable to accomplish good work under the political government of the hospital.

MISS MARGARET McDERMID, a graduate of the Farrand Training School, Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich., class of 1896, who has been occupying the position of lady superintendent of the Galt Hospital, Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, has accepted the position of operating-room supervisor of Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich.

MISS ANNA P. LETHAM, graduate of the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, has been compelled, on account of ill health, to temporarily give up her position as assistant superintendent of nurses of the Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago. Miss Letham sailed for France, January 13.

MISS GERTRUDE WILDE, graduate of St. Luke's Hospital, New York, has recently accepted a position as head nurse in the Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago.

MISS REBECCA CROSS, graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital, who has been resting for a year, on February 1 will return to her former position of assistant to the superintendent of Nurses, Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago.

MISS JEAN KERFOOT, superintendent of the Shreveport Sanitarium, La., has returned from a visit to her home in Canada.

THE new anesthetic, scopolamine, has been used with marked success at the Shreveport Sanitarium, La.

MISS LOIS GREER has been elected to fill the position of superintendent of the Training School for Nurses, in the State Charity Hospital in Shreveport, La.

MISS IDA PERRY has resigned her position as superintendent of the Charity Hospital, Shreveport, La., and will engage in private nursing.

MISS ELLA V. WILDERSON, class of 1897, The Boston City Hospital, has resumed her position as principal of training school at the Woman's Hospital, New York City.

MISS JENNIE S. COTTLE has accepted the position of superintendent of nurses at St. Joseph's Infirmary, Houston, Texas. This is a hospital with a capacity for two hundred patients. The first lecture to nurses was given on the evening of February 1.

MISS LAPSLEY, graduate of St. Mary's, Cleveland, has accepted the position of operating-room nurse at the Huron Street Hospital.

MISS LINDER RICHARDS, the Pioneer Nurses of America, has resigned from the Worcester Hospital for the Insane, Worcester, Mass., and has accepted the position of superintendent of nurses at the Hospital for the Insane at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Miss Blanche Nash, graduate of the Cleveland Training School is now serving as field hospital nurse at Willard, N. M.

Miss Grace Bentley, graduate of the Cleveland Training School has resigned as field hospital nurse at Egris, N. M., and will take up private nursing in Cleveland.

Miss Harriet Fulmer, head nurse of the Visiting Nurses' Association of Chicago, Ill., and 24 other nurses of the association, have been sworn in as probation officers. The reason given for granting the nurses the power of probation officers, is that the homes they visit are usually of poor persons who cannot afford to pay for medical service, and with the new power the nurses can compel the parents to permit them to minister to the needs of the sick children. In most cases these children are known in one way or another to the Juvenile Court.

Miss Crandall and Miss Rodgers, graduates of the Memorial Hospital Training School, Brooklyn, class of 1901, are studying medicine at the Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago.

MARRIAGES

At Asheville, N. C., January 11, Mrs. May A. Lorimer, Class of 1902, Ferland Training School, to Mr. E. E. Gallogly.

BIRTHS

On February 6, to Mrs. William Acker, of Monroe, Mich., twin boys. Mrs. Acker was Miss Mildred Crane, Harper Hospital, Detroit, Class of 1904.

OBITUARY

THE Cincinnati Alumnae Association have passed resolutions of respect and sympathy upon the death of Miss Laura Foster, Class of 1901, copies of which are to be sent to her family and recorded upon the minutes of the Association.

MISS ANNIE MARTIN, a member of the graduating class, 1906, of the Buffalo General Hospital Training School for Nurses, died of typhoid fever, November 25, 1905. Miss Martin was an excellent student, and a capable nurse. Her loss is deeply felt, not only by her family and her class, but by all who knew her in the hospital.

THE Brooklyn Hospital Alumnae at their monthly meeting moved that the following resolutions be adopted:

Resolved, That we the members of the Brooklyn Hospital Training School Alumnae deeply regret the death of Miss Miller, one of our most beloved and devoted members.

Resolved, That copy of this resolution be sent to the JOURNAL OF NURSING, and spread upon our minutes.

"E. L. JONES,
Secretary pro tem."

THE Alumnae Association of the Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia records its deep sense of sorrow and loss in the death of S. Jennie Rankin, a graduate of the class of 1903, and tenders its sympathy to her mother in her sad bereavement.

KEZIA HERBERT,
LILLIE M. MINNIG,
Committee.

PHILADELPHIA, February 13, 1906.

THE Cedar Rapids and Marion City Association report the death of a member, Rena E. White, which occurred at the home of her parents, in Marion, Iowa, February 3. Miss White was a graduate of the Iowa City School for Nurses, class of 1903.

THE Alumnae Association of Christ Hospital, Jersey City, N. J., desires to place on record its sense of deep sorrow and personal loss in the death of Miss Elizabeth Ross, class of 1901, who died at the hospital on January 2, 1906.

The Association tenders to her family its heartfelt sympathy.

SADIE S. SUMMERS,
Secretary.

DIED, in New York City, January 30, 1906, Ada Colcleugh, graduate of the Training School for Nurses, City Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn., class of 1896. Miss Colcleugh served as an army nurse, from October, 1898, to May, 1902. In accordance with a request made during her last illness, her remains were brought to Washington, and laid in the National Cemetery at Arlington.

DIED, on January 11, 1906, Mary Gertrude Childs, a member of the Far-
rand Training School Alumnae Association, Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich.,

Class of 1904. Death was caused by pneumonia, at the Jackson City Hospital, Jackson, Mich., of which institution she was the acting matron at the time of death.

At a meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital Alumnae Association, Brooklyn, New York, resolutions were adopted on the death of Dr. George Ryerson Fowler expressing sympathy for his family and a sense of irreparable loss in the death of one who has been so true a friend to the nurses.

FLORENCE S. SMITH,
EUGENIA H. FROST,
EDNA COPELAND,
Committee.

DIED, November 20, 1905, at the Mary Thompson Hospital, Chicago, Ill., Alma J. Petersen. Miss Petersen was born in Stockholm, Sweden. She was a graduate of the Mary Thompson Hospital, Class of 1891.

MRS. FRANCIS BACON died suddenly at her home in New Haven, on January 27, aged 70 years. Mrs. Bacon and her three sisters served as volunteer nurses during the war of the rebellion, accompanying the army of the Potomac. Mrs. Bacon was one of 100 patriotic women who formed the Women's Central Relief Association. This organization was under the wing of the sanitary commission and was thus recognized by the government.

Mrs. Bacon served as nurse throughout the war; and when she went to New Haven at its close she organized the Training School for Nurses, operated in connection with the New Haven Hospital. She married Dr. Francis Bacon about this time. He for many years has been the chief surgeon of the New Haven Hospital. At the time the training school was founded there was only one other similar institution in the country, the one in connection with Bellevue Hospital, New York.

MISS CARRIE McDOWELL, a graduate of the Philadelphia Hospital Training School, died December 8, at her home in Brookville, Pa., after an illness of twelve weeks.

THE Alumnae Association of the Rochester Homeopathic Training School record its deep sense of sorrow and loss in the death of Miss Ida L. Rabb, at her home in Lockport, N. Y., February 10, 1906, and hereby express its sympathy to the family and relatives in the sad bereavement.